

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2883
ANSWERED ON:09.08.2001
GOBAR GAS SCHEME FOR DOMESTIC USE
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Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Gobar-Gas Schemes for domestic use; and
- (b) the details of allocation of funds under the scheme to various States during the last three years, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE), (SHRI M. KANNAPPAN)

(a): Biogas (gobar gas) plants are being promoted for domestic use in all States and Union Territories under a Central Sector Scheme- National Project on Biogas Development (NPBD), since 1981-82. It provides for Central subsidy for setting up of biogas plants; turn-key job fee to non-governmental organizations and entrepreneurs for construction and supervision services, including first three years` free maintenance warranty; training courses for masons, turn-key workers and women-users; State level Biogas Development and Training Centres; publicity and extension, etc. A target of setting up of 1.80 lakh family type biogas plants has been planned for the year 2001-02. Besides the State nodal departments and agencies, Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC), Mumbai; All India Women`s Conference (AIWC), New Delhi; and Sustainable Development Agency (SDA), Kanjirapally, Kerala, are implementing the project.

(b): Information on release of funds to States and agencies during the last three years, i.e. 1998-99 to 2000-2001 under NPBD is given in the Annexure.

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.2883 regarding Gobar Gas Scheme for Domestic Use by Shri T.T.V. Dhinakaran for answer for 9th August 2001

Funds released to State Governments and agencies during the last three years, i.e. 1998-99 to 2000-2001 under the National Project on Biogas Development

State / agency Funds released (Rupees in lakh)

Andhra Pradesh	1975.00
Arunachal Pradesh	22.50
Assam	24.79
Bihar	26.00
Goa	22.85
Gujarat	725.25
Haryana	159.00
Himachal Pradesh	97.65
Jammu & Kashmir	6.00
Karnataka	1481.00
Kerala	238.56
Madhya Pradesh	1430.55
Maharashtra	1392.04
Manipur	50.19
Meghalaya	14.24
Mizoram	43.00
Nagaland	43.38
Orissa	1014.65
Punjab	469.65
Rajasthan	56.00
Sikkim	48.05
Tamil Nadu	186.17
Tripura	27.69
Uttar Pradesh	991.58

West Bengal 1589.99
KVIC 3845.04
AIWC 179.03
SDA 676.20